Page 24, line 13, please delete "retaining" and replace with: --elongated--; Page 24, line 14, please delete "end" and replace with: --lip--; Page 25, line 9, please delete "retaining" and replace with: --elongated--; Page 25, line 11, please delete "mat" and replace with: --mav--: Page 25, line 13, after the article "the", please insert the following: --surface of the eye/including the--; Page 25, line 13, please delete "Conjunctival" and replace with: --Conjunctiva --: Page 28, line 19, please delete "retaining" and replace with: --elongated--: Page 28, line 20, please delete "thin elongated" and replace with: --an external--; Page 28, same line 20, please delete "lip" and replace with: -member--: Page 31, line 2, please delete "retaining" and replace with: --elongated--; Page 39, line 13, please delete "retaining" and replace with: --elongated--;

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Page 39, line 16, please delete "retaining" and replace with:

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Page 39, line 23, please delete "retaining" and replace with:
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Page 40, line 8, please delete "retaining" and replace with:
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Page 40, line 16, please delete "retaining" and replace with:

Page 41, line 3, please delete "retaining" and replace with:
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Page 43, line 10, after "illustrates", please insert:

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Page 45, line 18, please delete "area 272" and replace with:
--section 248--; and /

Page 45, line 19, please delete "252" and replace with:

## IN THE CLAIMS

1. (Amended) An implant comprising

an elongated member having a pair of ends wherein one of said pair of ends includes a thin elongated lip having a posterior surface, said thin elongated lip being located on said elongated member to position the thin elongated [tip] lip in a generally anterior direction upon insertion in to a punctum opening to position the bosterior surface away from a surface of an eye, said elongated member being formed of a dimension to pass through a punctum opening of an eye.

2. (Amended) The implant of claim [2] 1 wherein said elongated member has an elongated axis and wherein said thin elongated lip has a posterior [edge] surface and central axis wherein said [control] central axis is positioned anterior to the elongated axis of said elongated member and positions the

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